

The Impact of Downsizing

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The Impact of Downsizing on Software and Services

- Software re-engineering
- Outsourcing desktop services
- Customer services perspective

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Software Re-engineering

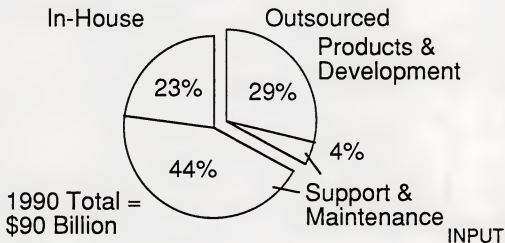
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European User Software Budgets



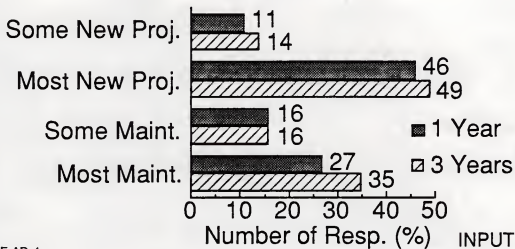
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CASE Project Usage Plans Europe

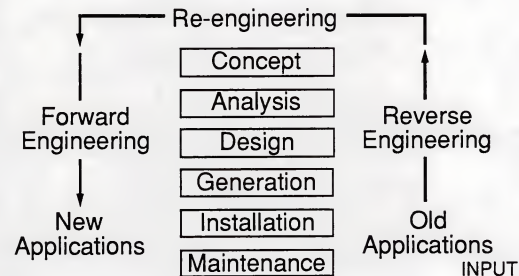


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The Software Life-cycle



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Software Re-engineering

- Drivers
 - Established business practices
 - Reverse engineering tools
 - Portable software platforms

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Software Re-engineering

- Inhibitors
 - Change and business re-engineering
 - Object-oriented design
 - Downsizing

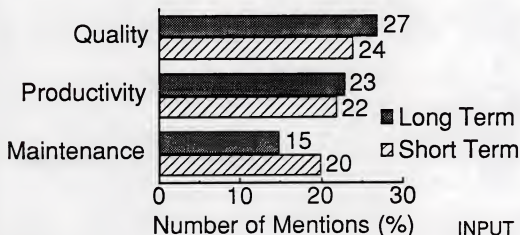
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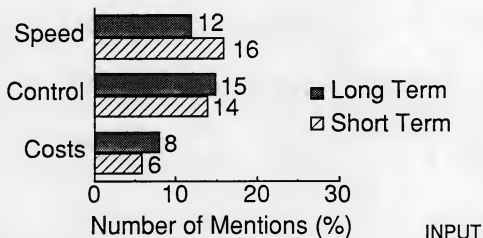


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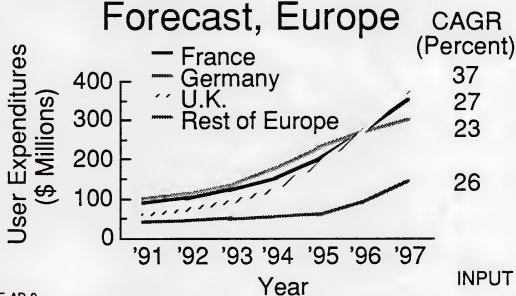


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CASE Software Products Forecast, Europe



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CASE-Related Initiatives

- Methodologies
- Software standards
- Software quality
- Organisational changes
- Training
- Team management

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Application Questions

- Drop
- Hold
- Re-engineer
- New development
- New package

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Impact of Downsizing

- Systems
- Projects
- Timescales
- Budgets
- Management

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Outsourcing Desktop Services In Europe

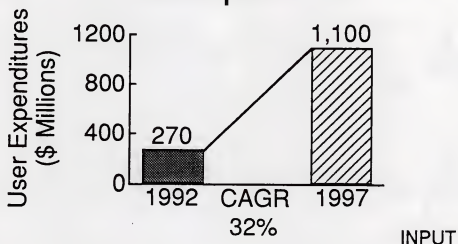
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Desktop Services Market Europe



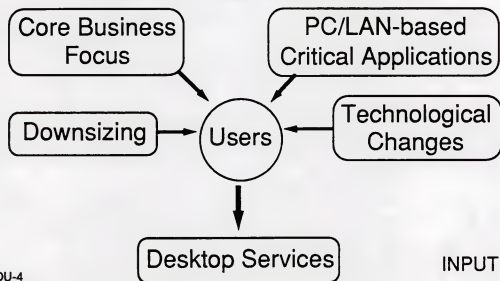
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Driving Forces



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The Decision Process

Site of Organization	In-House Capability Level	Source of decision to outsource
Large organizations	High	Senior executives
Medium-sized organizations	Low	IS management

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Major Country Markets, 1992

Country	1992 Revenues (\$ Millions)
United Kingdom	120
Germany	40
France	30
Netherlands	25

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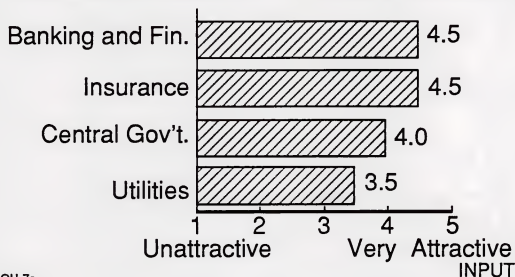
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Attractiveness of Industry Sectors



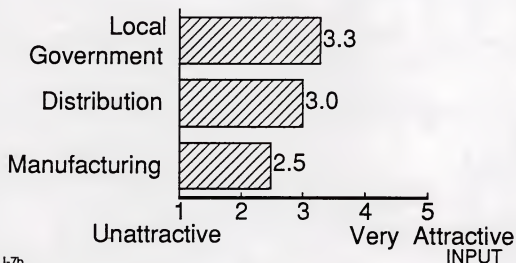
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Attractiveness of Industry Sectors



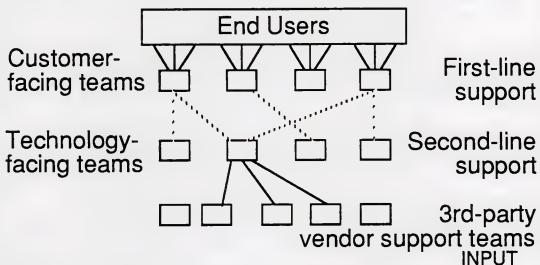
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Delivery of Help Desk Services



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Pricing Mechanisms

- Cost of on-site support plus mark-up
- Monthly usage of remote help desk
- Volume discounts

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P&P: Service Offerings

- Contract managed support
- Dealer to Times Top 100
- Frequently take on user IS personnel
- Open relationship
- Tailored service

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Delivery Capability P&P Corporate

Service Element	Level of Capability
Purchasing consulting	High
Equipment purchase	High
Equipment maintenance	High
LAN/equipment installation	High
LAN management	High

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Delivery Capability P&P Corporate

Service Element	Level of Capability
Help desk services	
- Systems software	High
- Applications SW products	High
Second-line technical support	High

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P&P: Strengths and Weaknesses

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Targeting major corporations	Lack of mainframe and proprietary systems operations capability

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P&P: Strengths and Weaknesses

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Knowledge of 9,000 PC products• Vendor independence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Lack of industry expertise• European coverage still embryonic

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Service Offering: iTNet

- Led by LAN implementation
- Targeting IS management
- Mainly second-line support
- Local service only

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Desktop Services, Europe

Delivery Capability: iTNet

Service Element	Level of Capability
Purchasing consulting	Low
Equipment purchase	Low
Equipment maintenance	Medium*
LAN/equipment installation	High
LAN management	High

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* = via partner

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Desktop Services, Europe

Delivery Capability: iTNet

Service Element	Level of Capability
Help desk services - Systems software - Applications SW products	Medium-High Low
Second-line technical support	Medium

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Desktop Services, Europe

Strengths and Weaknesses: iTNet

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• LAN implementation expertise• Systems operations customer base	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lack of support of standard applications software packagesFeel constrained by geographic coverage

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Strategies: Professional Services Vendors

- Only targeting desktop services as part of wider offering
- Concentrating on network implementation and management

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Professional Services Vendors

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Networking capability• Synergy with systems operations• Access to large accts.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lack of supply cap.Lack of depth and breadth of software product knowledgeLack of ambition

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Dealer/Distributor Strategies

- Develop pan-European capability
- One-stop shopping
- Partnerships for proprietary capability
- Major opportunity to enter high-margin services business
- Targeting system development

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Personal Computer Dealers

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Full desktop services capability• Breadth and depth of product knowledge• Vendor independence	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Lack of mainframe and midrange capabilityPan-European capabilities still embryonic

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Desktop Services, Europe

Key Trends

- Outsourcing ITTs increasingly request desktop services
- Desktop services also emerging as standalone service

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Key Trends

- Downsizing producing substantial market growth
- Could become dominant form of infrastructure management

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Vendor Challenges

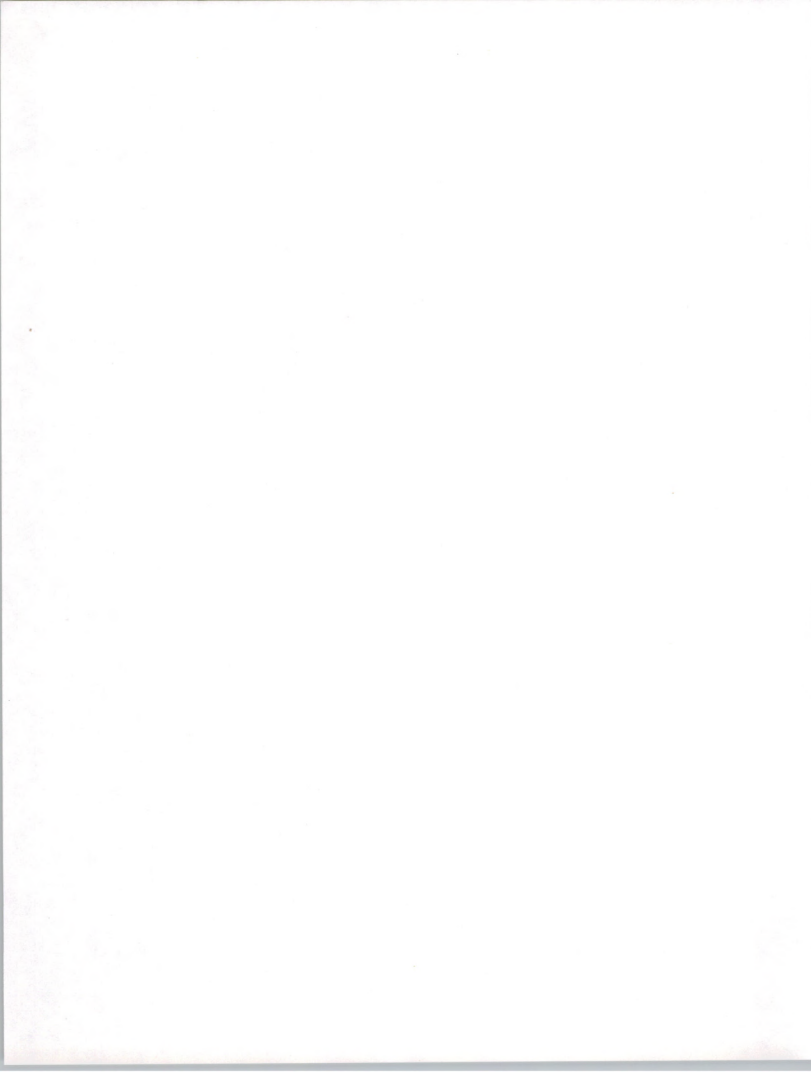
- Independence of supply
- Full-service capability
- Breadth of software product support capability
- Up-to-date technical skills
- Pan-European coverage

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Customer Services Perspective

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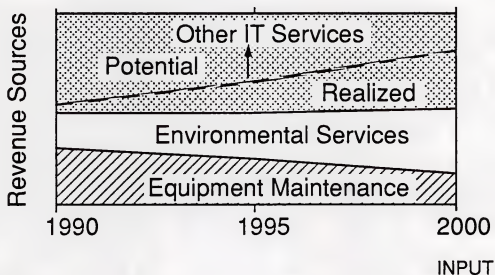
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IT Customer Services



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Impact of Downsizing

- Maintenance squeezed
- Focus on SME/PME
- Desktop services

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Repositioning

- SI
- Business continuity
- Networks
- Human resources
- Cross-industry assimilation

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New Offerings

Percent of Business	Percent of Vendor Sample
≤10	50
11 - 20	25
21 - 25	8
26 - 40	17

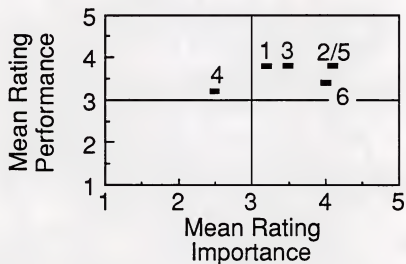
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Performance vs. Importance



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Legend

1 = Planning & Design

2 = Network Services

3 = Software Services

4 = Human Resources

5 = Disaster Recovery

6 = Security Services

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the 1990s, the number of people with a mental health problem has increased by 50% (Mental Health Foundation 2000). The prevalence of mental health problems has increased in the general population, and the incidence of mental health problems has increased in the prison population.

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Desktop Services

- One solution
- Open window
- Range of approaches

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Traditional Desktop

- PC supply
- Network/server
- PC/printer maintenance
- Installation
- Training

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New Services

- ASP supply/support
- Help desk selection/supply
- Problems management
- Planning/administration
- Network upgrades
- Application development

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the 1990s, the number of people in the UK with a mental health problem has increased by 50% (Mental Health Act 1983, 1993). The prevalence of mental health problems in the UK is estimated to be 10% (Mental Health Act 1983, 1993).

There is a growing awareness of the need to address the needs of people with mental health problems in the workplace. The Mental Health Act 1983 (1993) states that employers have a duty to provide a safe and healthy working environment for their employees. This duty includes the need to provide support and assistance to employees with mental health problems.

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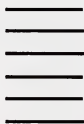
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Approaches

Standalone



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Outsourcing



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Solution

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Selection Criteria

- Network expertise
- Single supplier
- Up-to-date
- Independence
- Pan-European

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Digital's Service Offering

- Part of Bespoke Services
- 4 service lines
- Mix and Match
- Sales - Force
 - DECdirect

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the 1990s, the number of people with a diagnosis of schizophrenia has increased in the United Kingdom (Meltzer 1997). The prevalence of schizophrenia in the United Kingdom is estimated to be 1.2% (Meltzer 1997).

There is a growing awareness of the need to improve the lives of people with mental health problems. The United Kingdom has a number of government departments and agencies that are responsible for the care of people with mental health problems. The Department of Health is responsible for the overall policy and strategy for mental health care. The Department of Social Security is responsible for the provision of social security benefits to people with mental health problems. The Department of the Environment is responsible for the provision of housing and other services to people with mental health problems. The Department of Transport is responsible for the provision of transport services to people with mental health problems. The Department of Education is responsible for the provision of education services to people with mental health problems.

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Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Name• Catalogue• Networking• I-stop• Multivendor	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Hardware image- Confusing offerings- Impartial?- Not highlighted

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Hewlett-Packard's Service Offering

- Standard contracts
- Multivendor—including 3rd-party software
- Consultancy/customisation
- Specialist groups

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Hewlett-Packard

Strengths

- Premier on support
- Tailored contracts
- Strong networking
- Support for Oracle, Ingres, etc.
- Own & multivendor

Weaknesses

- Differentiated
- Technical orientation
- Weak SO

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PrimeService's Service Offering

- Network planning/design
- Single-source 'Desktop'
- Standard supply/maintenance
- Multivendor 'One-Call'

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PrimeService

Strengths

- Software skills
- Integration skills
- Networking
- Multivendor

Weaknesses

- Specialist
- Technical
- Commercial
- Marketing clout
- Weak SO

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Computeraid Service Offering

- Blank paper
- Selective large contracts
- Learn on the job

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the 1990s, the number of people in the UK who are aged 65 and over has increased from 10.5 million to 12.5 million, and the number of people aged 75 and over has increased from 4.5 million to 6.5 million (Office of National Statistics 2000). The number of people aged 65 and over is projected to increase to 15.5 million by 2020, and the number of people aged 75 and over to 8.5 million (Office of National Statistics 2000). The increase in the number of people aged 65 and over is due to a combination of factors, including a decline in the birth rate, a decline in the death rate, and a decline in the rate of emigration.

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Computeraid

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PC hardware maintenance• Help desk skills• Financial• Clear strategy	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- ASP skills- Maintenance culture- Selling to end users

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Data Logic Service Offering

- Branded product/service
- Mix and match
- Installed base
- Pan-European intention

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Data Logic

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• International• Skills mix• Focussed service line• Independent	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Uneven- ASP skills- Pan-European(?)

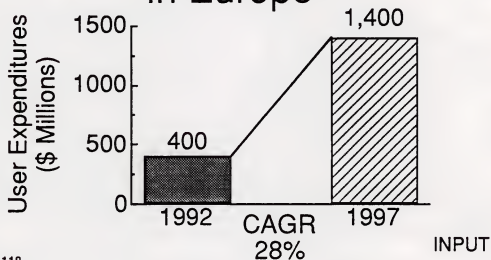
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Desktop (+Maintenance) in Europe



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Equipment Suppliers

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Expertise• Large IBs• Financial• CS organisation	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Product oriented- Resources- Channel contention- Slow to change- Not impartial

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IMOs

Strengths	Weaknesses
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• PC expertise• Incentive• Independent	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Financial- Software skills- Maintenance cultures

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Recommendations

- Strategic repositioning
- Acquire key skills
- Position migration

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